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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL Address to: Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	Application Number	10/664,645
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	Group Art Unit	3727
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	Attorney Docket Number	086012-34000-USPT

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.
Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application. See instruction Sheet for RCEs (not to be submitted to the USPTO) on page 2.

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

a. ☐ Previously submitted

 i. ☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on _____
 (Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).

 ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____

 iii. ☐ Other _____

b. ☒ Enclosed

 i. ☒ Amendment/Reply 04/24/2006 SFELEKE1 00000056 501814 10664645

 ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)

 iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) 01 FC:1801 790.00 DA

 iv. ☐ Other _____

2. Miscellaneous

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b. Other _____

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 ii. ☒ Extension of time fee if required and not otherwise submitted (37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.17)

 iii. ☐ Other _____

b. ☐ Check in the amount of \$ _____ enclosed

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